

296 Millwood Rd.
Toronto Apr. 27th/40

My dear Helen - Thank you for your letter & the enclosed \$5.00. You are very thoughtful.

I did not know that there was any trouble between the teachers - I am sorry you are disturbed by it.

I think it would be quite an adventure to go down for the 24th. It would be cold, no doubt but with good fires we should not mind that & we should be pretty well settled by that time.

Call it a date unless something prevents.

Too bad about your tea accident. We really should let things fall; as I did not with my pitcher of water! Be very careful of infection in the spot!

The head of C. G. D. T. in Sherbourne is Miss Tully but there is a Rev. Hutchinson assistant minister & graduate in Theology who is very active in the work & is very nice.

Aunt M. took me to the big luncheon yesterday at Metropolitan Church (saw Mrs. Forsyth, Marjorie & Bertha P. to bow) & afterward Mrs. Daniel took me to Eaton's where I bought a pair of large shoes \$2.98 which I find very comfortable about the house & will be ready

for Inquiries.

Maida took me to see the Castlefield house. It is rather small and has all dark woodwork except the kitchen. Dr. wants to have it painted before going in & they have not yet rented the apt.

She has had some delightful visits with Kathleen. They seem to like each other. I shall tell you at length about them. Since war began they have been feeling themselves Canadian & would like to come here. Kathleen expects to come again in Jan.

At a luncheon in K.'s honor (Musicians of course) Maida said she never heard such praise given anyone & Dr. Adashin said he didn't know that there was any such playing on God's earth when he heard her from Montreal. He was quite in earnest & sincere he said. She leaves to-night or to-morrow.

I forgot to tell you the new house has a beautiful back yard 50 ft. wide & I suppose 75 or 100 ft. deep with lots of perennials &c.

We have a young couple moving in next door to day. The play grounds & tennis courts are full of young people. Emma Keck has invited us to lunch at the Round Room next Tues. & Marion phoned to say that she had not been asking me to dinner because her father's sister was lying at the point of death of a stroke, however she would fix next Friday evening for if she (the aunt)